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## Connecting with Constituents



Dear Friends,

The most rewarding aspect of my job is the time I spend interacting with my constituents. I always look forward to engaging with Rhode Islanders to share information on my work in Congress and to hear about the issues on their minds. In March, I hosted two outreach events to connect with residents of the Second District.

My [first event](#) focused on raising cybersecurity awareness. As the co-founder and co-chair of the Congressional Cybersecurity Caucus, bringing attention to the dangers of cyber threats is one of my priorities. State Police Computer Crimes Unit Captain John Alfred, State Cybersecurity Officer Mike Steinmetz, and AARP Representative Dan Liparini joined me at the Glocester Senior Center to answer questions and offer tips for staying safe while banking online, using social media and surfing the web. The event was open to all constituents but was primarily tailored towards seniors. Unfortunately, seniors are frequent targets of cyber crime and can be especially vulnerable to scammers.

Join the Conversation:



## Save The Date

### ROBOT BLOCK PARTY

*Come see the next generation of robots used in research, education, work and play on display!*  
April 13, 12:00-4:00pm  
WaterFire Arts Center  
475 Valley Street  
Providence

## Did You Know...?

### STATE OF THE ART

Rep. Langevin is hosting his annual Congressional High School Art Competition in May. High school students in the Second District must submit their artwork by April 26. >>

### FAST FACT

Special Olympics Rhode Island hosted its annual 24-hour "Super Plunge Challenge" at Salty Brine State Beach! >>

## In Other News

### MUELLER REPORT

Rep. Langevin called on Attorney General Barr to release Special Counsel

Later in the month, I hosted another installment in my district-wide “[Lunch with Langevin](#)” series. Lunch with Langevin is a quarterly event open to all residents of the Second District. During the event, constituents can meet with me in a one-on-one setting to ask questions and share their thoughts on any issues they wish to discuss. This time, Lunch with Langevin was held in East Greenwich – the 16th town I’ve visited for the series! We had a large turnout, and I was glad to hear from so many civically-engaged Rhode Islanders.

Keeping a steady pulse on the issues important to my constituents allows me to be more effective in Washington, and I look forward to holding more public forums in the near future. To keep up with my upcoming events, and for updates on many other topics, please visit [my website](#) and follow me on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), [YouTube](#) and [Instagram](#).

Sincerely,

*Jim Langevin*



### March for Meals

I was proud to participate once again in the “[March for Meals](#)” campaign hosted by Meals on Wheels of Rhode Island. I delivered a meal to Mr. Theodore Desjardin, a retired steelworker and veteran of the U.S. Air Force. It was an honor to meet Mr. Desjardin, who is now homebound, and thank him for his dedicated service to our country.



### Strengthening our Democracy

I voted in favor of the [For The People Act](#), a landmark government reform bill to end the culture of corruption in Washington and strengthen American democracy. The *For The People Act* strengthens campaign finance rules, adds new voting rights protections, and tightens ethics laws. I am proud it also contains several election security provisions to better protect American voting systems that I helped author.

Mueller’s full report to the public. >>

### EQUAL PAY

Rep. Langevin voted to strengthen equal pay protection laws to ensure men and women receive equal pay for equal work. >>

### SUPPORTING ADOPTION

Rep. Langevin joined Rep. Doug Collins from Georgia to introduce legislation to reduce obstacles for families pursuing overseas adoptions. >>

### SUPPORTING SPECIAL OLYMPICS

Rep. Langevin vowed to fight the Trump Administration’s proposal to cut Special Olympics and autism funding. >>

### OPPOSING LIHEAP CUTS

Rep. Langevin joined the full New England Congressional Delegation in opposing the Trump Administration’s proposed cuts to heating assistance. >>

### CYBER WORKFORCE

Rep. Langevin and Rep. Glenn “GT” Thompson from Pennsylvania are trying to integrate cybersecurity into education programs preparing the future workforce in critical sectors like healthcare and energy. >>

### CLIMATE CHANGE

Rep. Langevin expressed his disappointment that the Department of Defense once again failed to meet its requirement to comprehensively examine the threats climate change poses to national security. >>

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